



“Business Opportunities in the Russian Far East (RFE)”

Wednesday, April 9, 2003

9:30–12:00pm presentations (\$10 for WTCI members, \$15 nonmembers)

1:00–3:30pm one-on-one meetings (free of charge)

Maryland Room, World Trade Center Baltimore
401 East Pratt Street, 21st Floor, Baltimore, MD 21202

The Baltimore U.S. Export Assistance Center (USEAC), U.S. Department of Commerce’s BISNIS, Maryland Department of Business and Economic Development, and World Trade Center Institute invite you to a briefing on business opportunities in the Russian Far East. The program will feature four BISNIS specialists with expertise in the region, with a specific focus on cutting edge opportunities in energy, forestry, fishing, construction, tourism, consumer goods, port services and infrastructure. In addition, representatives of SBA, TDA, Ex-Im Bank, and OPIC are invited to talk about financing options for projects in and exports to the region.

Topics covered will also include key considerations for doing business in the region, and identifying project-related opportunities and local partners to facilitate success in this challenging market. BISNIS representatives from Vladivostok, Khabarovsk, and Sakhalin Island will present overviews on their local markets and a BISNIS representative from Washington, DC, will address how other U.S. government programs can assist in business development efforts in Eurasia. Speakers will be available for one-on-one meetings following the presentation. For more information, visit <http://bisnis.doc.gov/outreach03/rfe.cfm>

Morning Session Registration: Please fax the form below to The **World Trade Center Institute**, Baltimore, MD, at fax: (410) 576-0751, or register online at www.wtci.org. Or call (410) 576-0022 x102.

Afternoon One-on-One Meetings Registration: telephone Ellen House, **BISNIS** (www.bisnis.doc.gov), at (202) 482-2284 or email to ellen_house@ita.doc.gov.

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